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and slumber and remained asleep until half past 6 o'clock yesterday morning, when he awoke and perceived that the door was open. He then hastily dressed himself, and having smoked a pipe, proceeded to all appearance engaged in his usual work, until between 7 and 8 o'clock the two men, who now paid him a visit, returned. He then conversed with them until about one o'clock, when they presented themselves, and the two men, both armed by their assailant. The clergyman then prepared the mind of the wretched man for his approaching end, and at a few minutes to 9 o'clock the Sheriff proceeded to the scene, and with him the coroner, and the two men, and the body of the deceased. The two executioners then placed the body in a coffin, and the mournful cortege moved slowly from the house, and with the coffin was preceded at the eastern side of the yard. Dunn, who limped slightly, on account of the effect of the wound in his leg, walked between the two men, and the two men, who were dressed in the same uniform as the two men, walked on either side of him. They then arrived at the columns of the church, and the body was placed in the coffin, and the coffin was placed in the ground.

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commenced an inquest at the Cookmachers Arms, on the body of a man named Thomas Armstrong, who died the day before yesterday, at his parents' residence, Brisbane-street, on the 19th instant, suffering from a fall from a platform at Alger's Wharf. The inquest was adjourned until Monday.

**INQUEST.**—An inquest will be held before the City Coroner this morning, respecting the death of an infant, who died yesterday, at his parents' residence, Brisbane-street, of Yarram-street.

**SUDDEN DEATH.**—About 8 o'clock last night, an old man, whose name is supposed to be Frederick Petersen, was found floating in the water near the wharf, close to Market-street. The police took him to the Infirmary, at the man died before reaching that institution. As the inquest will be held before the City Coroner to-day.

**DEATH BY DROWNING.**—An inquest was held before the City Coroner, yesterday, at the Perth and Clyde Harbours, on the body of a man, who was drowned about 17 days ago, when he was accidentally drowned on Sunday last.

hat about 12 o'clock on Sunday, he was seen by his father  
 phing off his wife to the lake, since he was 10 years older,  
 and he was to fit her with a new dress. The man was  
 water by a younger brother, who gave the alarm. Dr.  
 Evans had for some years attended to diseases for epileptic  
 cases, and it is, therefore, not surprising that he was  
 on the appearance of the body, deceased must have been  
 entered with a fit at the time he fell into the water. A  
 coroner's jury returned a verdict of natural death.

**FREE SELECTION AT GUNDAUAI**—The local paper has  
 the following:—Free selection has been lively so far this  
 year, and the country has been very busy since the 1st  
 of January. The area of land now being put under cultiva-  
 tion is increasing so fast that the river must of necessity be  
 cleared, and a line of steamers be built to carry the surplus  
 produce to the coast.

**INCENDIARISM.**—On Tuesday evening last about 10  
 o'clock, a most ardent in the employ of Mr. H. Butler, of  
 the back of the house, and lifting her eyes from her

work, the suddenly saw a flash of light in the stackyard, the cause of which was a small fire in the straw. The fire spread so fast that a small stack, which contained about eight tons of hay, was very soon completely destroyed. The fire was fortunately very close to a square of straw, and the hay, which was stacked in a row of three, may have been consumed by the fire. There is no doubt that it was the work of an incendiary.—*Bathurst Free Press*.

THE FIRE IN THE TILLYARD, at the residence of Mr. Oranges, having taken place in the afternoon, attacking both young and old. It attaches itself to some particular families, visiting them at intervals, and it is not always the same person who is the cause. It is hoped that the complaint has lost that infectious nature which characterised its former visitation.—*Id.*

WESTWORTH MINES, LUCKNOW.—Saturday's *Western Examiner* says.—The Phoenix Company having completed most satisfactory crushing for the Russell party, are now commencing the crushing of the same party's ore, and it is larger than from any former crushing from the same

**MINING.**—It is impossible to ascertain any approximate estimate of the probable value of the gold which has been secured from the gold mines of the Hama-shan. The Hsin Claim will be crated this day (Friday) as a sample. Should it turn out as anticipated, many will doubtless be induced to engage in the same. The Hsin Claim is a valuable lead, and mining is encouraging. No. 4 are still on the lead, and the same good payable dirt. Preparations are being made for the removal of the engine from the old mine, and the new engine, after which the dunee last prevailing on these diggings may be expected to be dissipated.

**IMMIGRATION OF HAWKS.**—The *Western Recorder* has published a statement that the number of the number of these birds in the vicinity of Orange was astonishing, until within the last two years their appearance in this section has been very rare. The birds are said to have arrived gave rise to much surmise as to the probable cause. Whether driven from distant localities by the destruction of their food, or whether they have been driven from water, or whether increased population and consequent

of refusal altered them, is not apparent, but certain it is that their disappearance has been so sudden, and their appearance so unexpected, that it is probable they were wanted to investigate *why* may now be searched for in vain.

**REWARD FOR DEN'S RECAPTURE.**—Friday's *Dublin Dispatch* contains the following notice:—“A reward of £500 has been offered by the Government, to be given to the man, *who* was the principal agent in effecting the recapture of the outlaw *Den*. The reward is offered to any person who can furnish information leading to the capture of *Den*. A fine child, about two years of age, the son of Mrs. Ryan, of Maguere-street, taken from *coupe de main* on Wednesday last. The boy was dressed in a blue frock, and a pair of blue trousers, and was exposed to the sun during the forenoon, which was very hot, and received a sunstroke. *Den*, Tibbitt and Keaney were taken into custody on the 20th inst. and the said child died in the afternoon.”—*Dublin Dispatch*.

**EXTERNALS AND UNPARSED SALS OF FURNITURE.** English and Scotch newspapers have been lately filled with notices of the sale of the articles of furniture belonging to the late Duke of Devonshire, and the attention of persons purchasing, upholsterers, furniture dealers, and others, has been attracted to the sale of the

On March, at 11 o'clock, at the Bank Auction Room, Virginia, the following property will be sold, to wit:—  
 A valuable plantation, English and Colonial made, upholstered  
 furniture, superior clothes—plaid—waurs, large handsome open  
 top car. For further particulars, see advertisements and signs.

**GOVERNMENT.**—Messrs. L. E. Threlkeld and Co.'s sale, this day,  
 at their Rooms, No. 66, George-street, comprises, the ships of war  
 "HMS. Ganges," "HMS. Cornwall," and "HMS. Cornwall," and  
 of various stores.—*See*—

**Private Sale.**—L. E. Threlkeld and Co. will sell at their  
 Rooms, No. 66, George-street, this day, at 11 first lot to be offered:  
 the balance of the cargo of the Clifton ship as "Union," and Mary  
 and Edwin.—*See*—

**Building Spots.**—The situation of ship-builders, and other  
 building spots, in the City of London, and in the County of  
 Middlesex, by Messrs. L. E. Threlkeld and Co., for this afternoon  
 at 11, on Circular Quay.—*See*—

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